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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

**Inventor:** Philip HOWSE et al.

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**Customer No.:** 23364

**Examiner:** Darren W. ARK

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**For:** METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING PESTS

**AMENDMENT**

**MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is responsive to the Office Action dated November 12, 2004 in the above application. In view of the following amendments and remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Please amend the application in accordance with the following particulars.

**In the Claims**

An amendment of the claims is presented below under the heading "Amendment of the Claims."